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3 A hip prosthesis has a neck, a trochanter, a link, and an
4 intramedullary rod. The intramedullary rod and the link are
5 formed as a sub-assembly connected together endwise by a
6 universal joint formed as a tubular extension. The link is
7 telescoped into the trochanter and the neck, successively. A
8 bolt is threaded into a threaded bore in one end of the link and
9 draws the intramedullary rod and link into the trochanter
10 resulting in an immovable press fit.